



0311 Rifleman





0311 Rifleman

- The mission of the Marine Corps rifle squad is to locate, close with, and destroy the enemy by fire and maneuver, and repel the enemy's assault.





0311 Rifleman

- The rifle squad is composed of 13 Marines
- One squad leader and 3 fire teams of 4 men each
- Each fire team consists of a fire team leader, automatic rifleman, assistant automatic rifleman, and a rifleman



0311 Rifleman

- The rifleman uses several weapons to accomplish his mission:
- M16A4 Service Rifle
- M203 Grenade Launcher
- M249 Squad Automatic Weapon(SAW)
- Various light assault weapons, mines, and hand grenades.



M16A4 Service Rifle

- Lightweight, air-cooled, gas operated, magazine fed, semi-automatic weapon
- Primary weapon of the 0311





M203 Grenade Launcher

- Lightweight, single shot, breech loaded, pump action, shoulder fired weapon
- Attached to the M16 and carried by the Fire team leader
- Fires a 40mm grenade





M249 SAW

- Gas operated, belt/magazine fed, air-cooled, automatic weapon
- Carried by the automatic rifleman
- Suppresses targets at 1,000 meters with rates of fire up to 850 rds per minute





Various Light Assault Weapons, Mines, & Hand Grenades

- AT-4: Lightweight, self-contained, antiarmor weapon, consisting of a free-flight, fin-stabilized, 84mm rocket
- Single shot cartridge





Various Light Assault Weapons, Mines, & Hand Grenades

- M18A1 Claymore mine: Anti-personnel mine consisting of 1.5 lbs of C-4 and approximately 700 steel balls





Various Light Assault Weapons, Mines, & Hand Grenades

- Hand grenades are used for killing the enemy, destroying equipment, and for signaling purposes
- M67 Fragmentation
- M18 Colored smoke

